COVID-19 UPDATE SEPTEMBER 8, 2021

MORE THAN

7.6 MILLION VACCINES

ADMINISTERED IN MARYLAND

MARYLAND HAS VACCINATED

80%

OF ALL ELIGIBLE MARYLANDERS

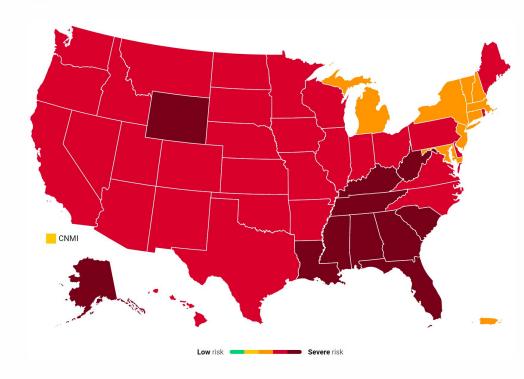
MARYLAND HAS VACCINATED 95% OF SENIORS

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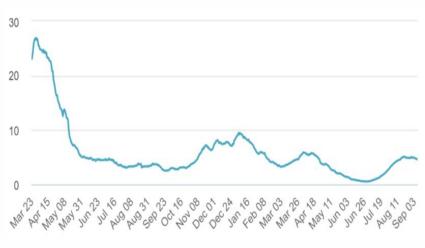
MORE THAN 68%

OF MARYLANDERS AGES 12-17

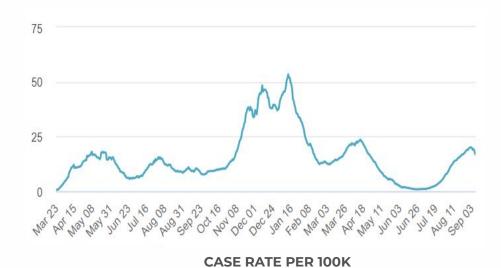
Maryland continues to withstand the Delta surge better than other states.



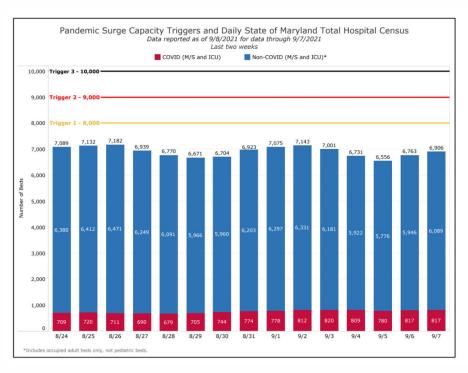
HEALTH METRICS SHOW SIGNS OF LEVELING OFF







MARYLAND REMAINS BELOW SURGE CAPACITY TRIGGERS



Statewide Antibody Testing Program:

Findings indicate that <u>>60% demonstrated some</u>
 form of waning immunity over time

 As many as 1 in 3 have a higher level of vulnerability

MARYLAND HAS ADMINISTERED

MORE THAN 28,000

BOOSTER SHOTS.

Effective Immediately:

All Marylanders 65+ living in congregate care settings are <u>now</u> <u>eligible</u> for booster shots.

Effective Immediately:

All pharmacies and providers can administer boosters without a prescription or doctor's order to any immunocompromised Marylander.

Community COVID-19 Vaccination Project:

\$3 million statewide canvassing effort to directly engage Marylanders living in areas with low vaccination rates.

covidvax.maryland.gov or call 1-855-MD-GOVAX

Monoclonal Antibody Therapy:

- Approved and effective treatment for COVID-positive patients who are <u>not</u> hospitalized
- More than 10,000 infusions completed in Maryland
- Available at more than 30 hospitals and facilities statewide

We have had <u>one of the strongest health</u> and economic recoveries in the nation by following the science and leading the way, and that is exactly what we will continue to do.

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